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SENATORS LEAVE SATURDAY FOR THE SHOALS

Highway Commission Approves the Plan For Bridging the Tennessee River Here

SURVEY OF PROJECT IS ORDERED AT ONCE BY THE ROADS UNIT PATTERSON STATES

Members of Commission Discussed Bridges at Mobile Meeting

MEANS MUCH FOR THE VALLEY SECTION

Lack of Bridge Here Has Retarded Development of This Section

The Alabama Highway commission has approved the proposed construction of a bridge across the Tennessee river at Albany-Decatur and a survey will be made immediately by the commission looking to getting the estimated cost of the project. This word was received here this afternoon from A. G. Patterson, member of the commission from this district, who is in Montgomery.

Members of the commission met yesterday in Mobile to take up the contemplated construction of a bridge in that section. Mr. Patterson placed the necessity of a bridge across the Tennessee river here before the members of the commission and after discussion of the joint project it was warmly approved.

According to information here, the state, from its own bond issue and from funds made available by the federal treasury, will have a sum equal to more than pro-rata share of \$250,000 for highway work in each county.

After the pro-rata has been apportioned to each county, the commission is expected to use the remainder in the construction of several bridges across major streams, the lack of which now offer an impediment to extensive travel.

Local residents, informed of the action of the commission, this afternoon urged the Bee line association, county, city officials and the public generally to get behind the movement and aid the commission in every way possible in getting the construction plans started on as soon as funds are available.

The lack of a bridge across the Tennessee river anywhere in the state east of Florence has been a drawback to development of this section, it was pointed out, and all citizens were urged to get behind the movement immediately.

(Montgomery Bureau, Albany-Decatur Daily)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 22.—The Tennessee Valley will be given a permanent bridge across the Tennessee river at Albany-Decatur as a result of a resolution adopted by the state highway commission at Mobile Tuesday night, definitely committing the commission to construction of the bridge.

The commission directed engineers to immediately make tentative surveys and advise the commission of the probable cost.

The bridge will be constructed with funds over and above the quarter of a million dollars guaranteed to each county as its pro-rata share of the highway funds.

A. G. Patterson offered the resolution which was adopted simultaneously with a resolution committing the commission to construction of a bridge across the Mobile delta. The two bridges will connect Chicago and Mobile on the Bee Line highway.

MEANS STRICKEN

It is reported that J. O. Means, one of the old citizens of the county, was stricken with paralysis Saturday. Much sympathy is expressed for him in his recent affliction by his many friends here, where he was a frequent visitor.

Woman Caught In Her Own Trap, Dies Of Tortures

(International News Service)

ALGONAC, Mich., March 22.—Hours of torture, in which Mrs. Joseph Sears, 72-year-old trapper, struggled against a muskrat trap which drowned her within two feet of water, were revealed with the finding of the woman's body today.

One of her own traps had snared her and a boat from which she was baiting it, tipped over and floated away. For at least five hours the woman floundered in icy water and mud. To extricate herself, she attempted to bite off her high hand near where the steel trap gripped her. Her body was half submerged in mud when found.

Death was pronounced due to exposure.

BREAK BETWEEN PRESIDENT AND HOUSE WIDENING

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, March 22.—President Harding demanded of congress today that it appropriate enough money to maintain an American navy up to the maximum strength authorized under the conference treaties.

Word went to the capitol that there must be kept in commission an 18 battleship fleet with all auxiliaries and properly manned to give the fleet the highest efficiency. This will require an enlisted strength of 86,000 men and 3,200 officers.

Something closely akin to open warfare exists today between the white house and the house leaders of capitol hill. In the face of strong white house disapproval, house leaders calmly proceeded today with their plans to pass the pending army bill, cutting down the size of the army to 115,000 men and directing the withdrawal of a majority of the troops which the United States maintains in its overseas possessions.

They asserted that the bill would be passed and sent along to the senate by nightfall. Again tomorrow the house leaders plan to disregard the open disapproval of the white house by passing the pending bonus bill.

President Harding regards the bonus bill as inadvisable and unworkable. He regards the house attempt to cut the army to 115,000 men and the direction as to how the overseas troops shall be stationed, as a bold attempt to usurp his prerogative.

"The President is still commander-in-chief of the army and he has not nor will he delegate his authority in this respect to the appropriations committee of the house nor to any congressional body," it was stated officially at the white house.

When this message was conveyed to leaders of the house it drew the reply from one of the leaders that "the house is going ahead". There was a growing impression today that both the bonus bill and the army bills would be shelved in the senate or else subjected to such amendments as to necessitate their being sent back to the house for repassage.

CONTRACT AWARDED

MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 22.—(Special).—Announcement was made by Governor Kilby and C. B. Rogers, chairman of the state board of control, last night that the state during the afternoon executed a contract with the Reliance Manufacturing Company of Chicago whereby the state during the next five years will manufacture chamberlain shirt material at Kilby prison and the Reliance Manufacturing Company will take the entire supply which can be produced by 25,000 spindles.

GORGAS MEMORIAL WORLD ENTERPRISE SPEAKERS DECLARE AT CAMPAIGN RALLY

Drive Postponed Two Weeks In Order To Familiarize Public

TWO BIRMINGHAM MEN DELIVER ADDRESSES

All Committees of Morgan County, In Meeting Last Night

The Gorgas Memorial is to touch the entire Western Hemisphere and parts of Europe—in fact it is a world wide enterprise, according to speakers at the Albany chamber of commerce rooms last night \$6,000,000 are due to be raised for it. The memorial is emphatically not to be made of bronze, marble or any other perishable material. It is to be a vast institution for the study and prevention of such diseases as malaria, typhoid and all other pestilential diseases. It is named, of course, in honor of Dr. William Crawford Gorgas, most distinguished Alabamian of his day—whose labors freed Cuba of diseases and made the Panama Canal Zone free from disease—thus enabling America to succeed in digging the great canal where the French failed. Gorgas is described as "freeing all the world of disease," but at Panama he did his monumental work, so it seems not unfitting that the seat of the great institution bearing his name should be at Panama, where the local government has already set aside \$500,000.00 for the Founder's Building. But because Gorgas is a native Alabamian, and because this is the "midway" state of the South, a \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000 foundation of the Gorgas memorial is to be located in Alabama. And Tuscaloosa has been decided upon as the Southern states seat of the institution, as the state University there has agreed to allow the memorial the use of certain buildings and certain medical equipment.

The Object of Last Night's Meeting.

W. W. Rahm, Morgan county chairman of the Gorgas Memorial presided at last evening's meeting; the object of which as stated was to devise ways and means for making a collection throughout the county to help establish the memorial in this state. After a number of speeches, it was decided to postpone the campaign for funds for two weeks—largely on account of the fact that the objects of the memorial are not thoroughly known to the people generally. Chairman Rahm, was vested with authority to appoint committees and do such other preliminary service as he sees fit, prior to the opening of the campaign two weeks hence.

Besides the speeches of local men and women, Dr. G. M. Saliba of Birmingham and P. H. Bogardus, of the publicity department of the memorial committee also of Birmingham, made stirring addresses setting forth the fundamentally humanitarian character of the proposed work of the Gorgas Memorial. Mr. Bogardus called attention to the recent statement of Roger Babson concerning the availability of Alabama as a great state of wealth and population, once "we get a clean bill of health."

DOG BITES TEN

MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 22.—(Special).—One rabid dog bit ten people at Tallapoosa and cost the state three hundred dollars for anti-hydrophobia treatments, according to announcement of the state health department today. When the dog was found to be afflicted with rabies it was necessary to furnish treatment for all persons who had been bitten. Two families had been attacked and bitten by the dog.

PROSPECT SLIGHT FOR SETTLEMENT OF MINE WALKOUT BEFORE APRIL 1ST

Secretary Green Believes Strike Of Miners Now Is Inevitable

CAPITAL OFFICIALS ARE LITTLE WORRIED

Nation Has Greatest Supply Of Coal Above Surface In Years

(International News Service)
INDIANAPOLIS, March 22.—"There is no prospect of settlement of the miners wage controversy in advance of the nation-wide walkout of a half million hard and soft coal miners April 1." This flat statement was made to the International News Service today by William Green, secretary-treasurer of the United Mine Workers, after he had read a Washington dispatch saying cabinet officers were hopeful of an agreement before the strike becomes effective.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—Shut-down of the coal mines on April 1 by a strike of 600,000 union miners apparently awakened little fear today among high officials of the government that the public interest will be endangered or that federal intervention will be necessary.

Attorney General Daugherty said today the strike program had not reached the stage to warrant any statement of what the government may do if the exercise of its functions becomes necessary.

If the government acts it would proceed under the statutes against conspiracy. Just how far the government would go in that direction would depend, in a measure, upon the investigation now being made by the department of justice in the coal fields. These inquiries are proceeding quietly, but with thoroughness.

Government reports today disclosed that the United States, on the eve of the strike, has the largest stock of coal in its bins or actually mined and ready to move to consumers than has been above ground at any other similar period for many years.

By April 1, coal experts said, nearly 100,000,000 tons of bituminous coal will be available in emergency stocks laid by by large consumers. These include railroads, public utilities and industrial consumers.

Reports to the geological survey today indicated that the coal fields of West Virginia, Alabama and other states which are not unionized are preparing to work at top speed to furnish extraordinary demand. These mines already have increased their output in the last month far above the normal needs.

W. H. Long Enters Race For Solicitor

Announcement was made today of the candidacy of W. H. Long, prominent Decatur attorney, for the office of solicitor of the Morgan county court.

Mr. Long has practiced before the local bar for 16 years and has a wide circle of friends throughout the county, both in and out of the profession. He promises, if elected, "an honest administration, with a fair deal to all. A careful, orderly, positive and constructive enforcement of all penal laws."

He is a lawyer of good ability and by virtue of his experience, his friends declare, is well equipped to discharge the duties of the office. He has lived in Morgan county practically all of his life.

HENRY FORD WILL OPERATE POWER PLANT ON HUDSON; HOPES TO HELP SHOALS BID

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ATLANTA, Ga., March 22.—Henry Ford, through government agencies, will announce on June 1 the opening of a hydro-electric power plant on the Hudson river, opposite Troy, New York, it became known here today through an interview the Detroit manufacturer gave the Atlanta Georgian while on his way to Florida, where he will rest several weeks.

The opening of this project, he said, is the basis of his hope that congressmen representing eastern states will be swung to view with favor his offer for the government nitrate plant and waterpower project at Muscle Shoals, Ala., now the subject of a congressional inquiry.

Ford declared the plant would be ready to start operations June 1, next. It will develop 8,000 horsepower, he estimated. Beginning of work there, he said, had been made possible through his success in obtaining a lease on Green Island in the Hudson.

Further than these details Mr. Ford did not discuss the proposed harnessing of the Hudson.

\$2,000 VOTED FOR SCHOOL BOARD BY ALBANY COUNCIL

The Albany city council held a busy session last night, it being a regular meeting of the board, at which all members were present. On motion the finance committee recommended the giving of the sum of \$2,000 to the board of education. This was concurred in by all the members present, and will be turned over to the board of education as soon as available.

Alderman Wyatt, chairman of the street committee was empowered to have drainage done on or between 6th and 9th avenues West Albany. The work will begin at once.

The committee appointed at a previous meeting to investigate and get the best bid for the school bonds recently voted by the city of Albany, desired further time to complete their investigation and will report at a later meeting.

An ordinance was introduced by Alderman Wyatt to prevent the staking of cows on school grounds and other public places in the city; was referred to police committee.

Alderman Buck introduced a resolution prescribing certain restrictions on future building within the city fire limits, relating to certain materials used in building, also embodied in the resolution was the further intent to enlarge the fire limits of the city. Referred to special committee.

The matter of laying cement walks in certain parts of the city upon request of citizens of those sections, went over to a later meeting as all the details of construction have not yet been worked out.

Contractor Goodrich was empowered to improve 2nd street, West Albany. Work to begin at once. There being no further business before the board adjournment was concurred in.

Have Hard Time With Crazy Negro

Deputies Stewart and Halbrooks returned Tuesday from Mount Vernon where they went to place the crazy negro in the insane asylum. They report a turbulent time all the way, the insane man giving no end of trouble practically all the way. It was with great difficulty they finally landed him safely in the state institution. They are not bidding for any more such trips as all the joy was taken out of it by the effort required to safely get the man to the institution doors.

NORRIS ANNOUNCES TREATY FIGHT WILL NOT PREVENT TRIP TO SEE BIG PLANT

Earlier Reports of Delay Are Denied By Chairman of Committee

ABOUT 15 SENATORS WILL BE IN PARTY

Solons Plan To Leave Washington At 10:30 Saturday Night

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, March 22.—About 15 senators will leave here at 10:30 Saturday night to make a personal inspection of the Muscle Shoals, Ala., power plant, despite a previous report that they might postpone their trip because of the treaty situation, it was definitely announced today by Senator Norris, Republican of Nebraska, chairman of the senate agricultural committee.

Several senators, besides members of the committee, will visit Muscle Shoals for the purpose of continuing the government's investigation of Henry Ford's offer to take over the plant.

MORE MACHINERY BOUGHT FOR PLANT

J. O. Wells, of the Cooper-Wells company, owners of the local hosiery mill, was here yesterday making an inspection of the plant. Late yesterday he announced that 14 more machines have been bought and will be shipped here immediately.

When the new machines arrive the local plant will be operating up to full capacity of the building. Mr. Wells expressed himself as very much pleased with the class of operatives he has been able to obtain here. One operative now is looping 50 dozen pairs of hose daily.

Cold Fails To Halt The Crowds

In spite of the cold pinching weather last night, the revival at the Church of Christ, East Jackson street, was well attended. Evangelist C. H. Woodroof who is conducting these meetings, spoke earnestly on 1 Cor. 6:11 and dwelt especially on the last part of the verse which reads, "But ye were washed, but ye were sanctified, but ye were justified." Old familiar hymns, which were appropriate for the sermon such as, "Are You Washed in the Blood of the Lamb," were sung and enjoyed by all.

This meeting is a forerunner of the big revival to be held later by Gus Dunn of Texas.

Services each evening at 7:30.

Wiggins Strong For This County

That Morgan county is the garden spot of North Alabama is the consensus of all her citizens who know whereof they speak, and this is concurred in by L. K. Wiggins, a former resident of Albany, who is here for a short stay on business and to meet old friends again. Mr. Wiggins is now located in a city in the southern part of the state and to a Daily reporter spoke in glowing terms of this section in contrast with some other sections of Alabama. Mr. Wiggins is a Morgan county enthusiast, and realizes it more by way of contrast.

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WE FAVOR ACCEPTANCE
OF HENRY FORD'S BID
FOR MUSCLE SHOALS

FORD FARMERS AND FERTILIZERS.

The farmers of the South are rightly concerned as to the disposition of the government undertaking at Muscle Shoals. Particularly are they anxious that the production of nitrates there be assured. It is alleged by the enemies of the Ford proposal that the amount of nitrates manufactured there would not affect either the demand or the market for fertilizer. To say that is to find one's arguments superficially. Nitrate Plant No. 2, which Ford guarantees to operate at capacity, will produce one hundred and ten thousand tons annually. Nitrate Plant No. 1, which Ford reserves the right to operate or not as he sees fit, would produce probably as much more. The effect that this product will have on the market will be due, not to its amount, but to its cost to manufacture.

If Ford can demonstrate that the nitrates can be profitably placed in the hands of the farmer for a less price than the imported product or than the price placed on similar products otherwise obtained, then it will be very apparent to farmers that they are paying too high for their nitrates from other sources. It is probably this fact that really excites the opposition of fertilizer interests.

It is worth noting that in his contract Ford agrees to "determine by research whether by means of electric furnace methods and industrial chemistry there may be produced on a commercial scale fertilizer compounds of higher grade and at lower prices than fertilizer-using farmers have in the past been able to obtain, and to determine whether in a broad way the application of electricity and industrial chemistry may accomplish for the agricultural industry of the country what they have economically accomplished for other industries." This clause in the contract may well be the cause of concern to fertilizer corporations, for its purpose is to produce better fertilizers, if possible, and at a lower price, if possible, than is generally prevailing. To this end the best powers of science and skill are to be directed. If Henry Ford can achieve the desired end for an annual output of one hundred and ten thousand tons, will his success not inspire others to the same course, or himself to an expanded output? Quantity production at a low price is the policy that has made Henry Ford one of the richest men in the world; is that highly successful policy applicable only to manufacturing automobiles?

The farmers, especially Southern farmers, want the manufacture of nitrates on the proposed basis because they perceive therein their own freedom from an oppressive cost of crops.—Mobile Register.

Electricity generated by water power will solve the coal problem. Instead of there being a scarcity of coal at any time there will be plenty of it and to spare. Electricity will take its place in a great percent of the instances in which coal is used for fuel. Not only so, but when electricity comes into general domestic use the forests of the country will be spared to a great degree, because it will be so cheap and of such a universal demand that homes will not only be lighted with it but heated with it as well. The millions of young trees which are now used each year for fuel will be allowed to grow, and the wood turned into the channels of manufacture. Country districts will fare the same as the towns and cities when electricity is properly developed under water power, and therein lies another strong argument for Ford. He wants to see the country and every member of it prosper. It has been his rule in the conduct of his large and varied enterprises, that every man should own a home and some of the pleasures and comforts which go with it. True, he expects a day's work in return for what he gives and insists on. We have had the wood and stone age, now the electrical age looms into sight. It is here; the proper development of it is the only link missing, and it is being forged.

The trite saying, "save the pennies and the dollars will take care of themselves" has been demonstrated many a time, and dollars grew where pennies were planted. It is a slow process, but, if persistently followed, will bear fruit.

The constant endeavors of those who have the interests of the farmers of the state in mind, will eventually redound to the good of those who annually cultivate the crop of the land. There may be mistakes made, a thing possibly true. But in the end there will be found a way in which these may be benefitted. If all the effort is really in earnest, done with the single purpose only of being of real benefit to the producers, all will be well.

The Alabama Farm Bureau Cotton Association is the latest organization destined to help in obtaining the right price for cotton. It sets forth that it is to be a non-profit co-operative association to sell cotton intelligently. The association is to be organized without capital stock, for the purpose of promoting, fostering and encouraging the business of marketing cotton co-operatively; for reducing speculation; for stabilizing the cotton markets; for co-operatively and collectively handling the problems of cotton growers; and for other pertinent purposes.

All sounds good and to the point. If speculation in the product can be eliminated in part or as a whole much good will have been accomplished to say nothing of the other pertinent features of the organization. It begins well.

The politics of the country and district gets more interesting with each recurring day. The entry of women into the field of politics is something new and novel, and it is freely predicted they will make formidable contestants for positions which they seek. A woman in Mississippi is running for the U. S. Senate against former senator Vardaman. Morgan county has a woman candidate for congress in the person of Mrs. W. B. Edmundson. Congressman Ed Almon has also filed his declarations of intentions to ask for reelection. In many counties of the state women are announcing for the state legislature. Verily the day has dawned when women "should not occupy an inconsequential place under our fundamental law." The tribe of the Genus Homo may as well be assured that the sea of politics will not be as smooth sailing as heretofore, for be it known, when woman goes after a thing she usually gets it, or there is a mighty good reason, why not.

It is a great time to get together. There are many questions of vital importance awaiting solution. The manner in which these vital questions are solved affect every citizen of this government indirectly, and many specifically. It is no time for continued pulling asunder. There should be a get-together meeting by common consent and go about solving these problems in a definite way, now. It is unreasonable after six months of debate and agitation there is seemingly no nearer a solution than before they began. It is becoming a joke. It is costing huge sums of money without any return. The people are wondering just why the continued delay. They have a right to ask, for they are paying the bills. The government is, but the headquarters of all the people where they are supposed to transact their business. Just a clearing house.

In the mould of public opinion must eventually all the great issues be cast if they are to be of an abiding nature. Some may be wrong all the time in their understanding of issues and big things which affect the country as a whole, but all are not wrong all the time. Some great things have been wrought by the minority, but, a trust placed in the hands of the majority is in nearly every instance safe and secure, once they are in possession of the real intent and purpose of the thing which they are to pass judgement on.

To the efforts of a faithful few compared with the total, is due the faithful glow of the spark of truth and faithful effort. They who follow in a cause for the loaves and fishes are not entitled to much reward, if that be the real incentive which impels action. Will it pay me, should never be allowed to enter into the question box; is it right, is the only question to be considered.

Fate, is blamed for many of the happenings which effect us; fate, is nothing more than good or bad management, and luck is the same and identical thing.

Fashion says, skirts are to be worn an inch to one and a half inches longer the coming summer. Why make 'em so long?

One by one our friends slip away. Make it a point today to speak some word of cheer or commendation; tomorrow may be numbered among the might have been's, then-too late.

We get out of life exactly what we put into it; bitter or sweet. Every act gives back what issues forth.

To make a beginning is harder to do than to prosecute the venture after the beginning is made. Once the load is started up the hill it is easier to reach the summit.

Flowers, pretty flowers grow by the wayside unnoticed. There are many beautiful lives which just serve, fulfilling the mission, affecting no notice from those who pass by the realm of their activity.

COTTON MARKET
IRREGULAR TODAY

(International News Service.)
NEW YORK, March 22.—The cotton market was steady at the opening today at a decline of 4 points to an advance of 7 points and later ruled fairly steady under scattered Southern selling and local liquidation induced by improved weather prospects in the belt and the spread of textile labor disputes in New England.

Cables from Liverpool were better than had been due and English firms were among the early buyers here. Notices, representing 3,300 bales, were placed in circulation. The cotton exchange inspection bureau thus far this month has inspected 17,500 bales.

Huntsville Brick
Plant Asks Relief

(Montgomery Bureau, Albany-Decatur Daily.)
MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 22.—The Huntsville Brick company, of Huntsville, today petitioned the public service commission for an order requiring the Alabama Power company to execute a seasonal contract whereby the company will furnish electrical power during the brick plant's operating season. The commission set the petition for April 3.

The brick company alleged that it disposed of its steam plant at the solicitation of the power company which furnished it electricity during its operating but that the power company now is insisting on a contract effective 12 months in the year with a minimum charge of \$115 monthly whether any power is used or not. It insisted that such a contract was not to the interest of the brick plant because weather will not permit its operation during December, January and February.

WOMAN ELECTED
MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 22.—(Special)—Mrs. Warren Tyson was elected a member of the city board of education by the city commission today. She succeeds Miss Mary Burk, who resigned several months ago when she accepted the position of dean of the woman's department of the University of Alabama.

Funeral Is Held
For Mrs. Lankster

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock for Mrs. Lura Z. Lankster, wife of J. H. Lankster, who died at the family residence, 1323 Fifth avenue South, Monday evening at 6 o'clock. Services were conducted by Rev. Woodruff, after which the body was conveyed to Ebenezer, east of Falkville, for interment.

Mrs. Mable Adams
Is Laid To Rest

Funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at cemetery chapel for Mrs. Mable Adams daughters of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Chapman, who died in Sheffield Monday morning. Interment was made in city cemetery.

COMMISSIONERS NAMED
MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 22.—(Special).—Appointment of two jury commissioners in Lawrence county and one in Hale county was announced by Governor Kilby today. R. C. Jackson of Mount Hope and J. A. Bracken of Trinity were named jury commissioners in Lawrence as the successors of Joe Campbell and Paul White. J. W. Tidmore of Moundville was named jury commissioner in Hale county as his own successor.

STRONG FOR FORD
Chas. C. Robertson, of New Orleans, who is spending a week with relatives and friends here, says that the citizenship of his city is strong for Ford, realizing that it would be of incalculable benefit to them in way of opening up 400 miles of more navigable waters, and giving to the entire South a new impetus in business.

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RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts..... \$2,465,425.61	Capital Stock..... \$ 161,800.00
Demand Loans..... 183,311.53	Surplus Fund..... 161,800.00
Bonds and Stocks..... 158,844.00	Und. Profits and Reserve..... 41,636.40
Overdrafts..... 42.36	Bills Payable..... None
Banking Houses (16)..... 90,500.00	Rediscouts..... None
Furniture and Fixtures..... 211	Deposits..... \$,018,600.00
(16)..... 36,750.00	
Real Estate..... 8,190.00	
Cash and due from Banks..... 440,928.69	
\$3,383,897.09	\$3,383,897.09

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Somerville News

On Saturday last Mrs. Martha Bailey, age 75 years was laid to rest at Antioch cemetery, she leaves three sons and two daughters.

Euclyd Griffin of Falkville is visiting his uncle, Dr. Peck for a few days.

Pickett McClure is confined to his bed with a severe case of flu.

Miss Carrie Watkins has been seriously ill for several days.

Mrs. J. A. Garrison is visiting her sisters, Misses Carrie and Vinnie Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Gilchrist and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwies at Valhalla Springs last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Felton Lyle spent Sunday in Albany with relatives.

Mrs. Frank Dodson is sick with a severe cold.

J. E. Johnston was in Decatur on important business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Bailey attended the burial of their grandmother Saturday.

BIRTH

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Parker, March 21, a son, Frank Leigh.

PERSONALS

E. D. Whitman is in Montgomery on business.

T. H. Williams, of Montgomery, was the guest Tuesday night of his brother, C. W. Williams.

Edmund Garrett, of Belle Mina, is in the Twin Cities today on business.

R. S. McJilton returned this morning from a month's visit to his daughter, Mrs. J. O. Ballard, in St. Louis.

Raymond Martin has returned to his home in Memphis, after a short visit to relatives here.

The condition of J. W. Crow, who has been seriously sick for some time, is considered today as being much improved.

J. M. Jackson, of Leesdale, is in the city today on business. Mr. Jackson is one of the contractors on the East pike from Hartselle. He reports work going steadily ahead.

Sam F. Brown, of Falkville, is in the city today on business.

COTTAGE PRAYER MEETING SCHEDULE

Division A: Hostess, Mrs. W. A. Brown, 316 W. Church. Leader, Mrs. J. W. Craig.

Division B: Hostess, Mrs. Carter, Canal street. Lieutenant, Mrs. J. R. Thomas.

Division C: Hostess, Mrs. Mary Banks, Canal street. (Line and Oak.) Division D: Hostess, Mrs. J. E. Dickinson. Leader, Mrs. W. B. Morrow.

Division E: Hostess, Mrs. W. C. Bates.

West Albany 9th-12th Ave., W.: Hostess, Mrs. Pryor. Leader, Mrs. Blackmon.

Fifth Ave., W.: Hostess, Mrs. Brock, 318 Fifth Ave., W. Leader, Mrs. Randolph. Lieutenant, Mrs. Wear.

South Albany No report.

East Albany E. Grant St. Section: Hostess, Mrs. Rothfus.

Central Albany Moulton St., Johnston St.: Hostess, Mrs. B. E. Preuit. Leader, Mrs. Farris.

Grant St.: Hostess, Mrs. Spencer at Mrs. Graham's apartments.

Jackson St.: Hostess, Mrs. McJilton. Leader, Mrs. Walton Hill.

Work of Placing Monument Begun

The work of placing the Confederate monument in position is being carried forward today under the direction of S. F. Maddox, representative of the McNeil Marble company, of Marietta, Ga. The monument is a fine product of marble in sections and will stand when completed 23 feet in height.

Suitable inscriptions appear on the shaft, and the monument will be a fitting tribute to that portion of the men of the Confederate army who fell during that time of civil warfare.

SOCIETY NEWS

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 352.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Wednesday

Cotaco Literary Club Mrs. Otto Moebe
Thursday club Mrs. Wallace Carson
Married Ladies' Bridge Mrs. Paul Crawford
H. B. Luncheon Club Mrs. H. T. Gill

Friday

Friday-Afternoon Rook Club Mrs. George Rogers
Friday Thirteen Mrs. W. K. McNeil
Sub Deb Club Miss Susie Mainard
Canal Street Rook Club Mrs. J. D. Wyker.

Saturday

Junior Music Study Club Misses Margaret Broadus and Agnes Cassels
Hostesses at home of Miss Margaret Broadus.

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN SOCIETY.

The missionary society of the Westminster Presbyterian church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. V. Dupont on Jackson street. Mrs. T. V. Harrison was the leader for the afternoon and the lesson study was taken from "Newest America." Mrs. Harrison had a paper on "The Old World's Background Changed," and Mrs. Harry Wyatt's paper was on "Democracy Demonstrated." An interesting talk was given by Mrs. L. B. Wyatt on "Emigration to America." Another instructive and interesting talk enjoyed by all was on the subject "Distribution and Assimilation" by Miss Ellen Greenendyke. Mrs. Hall Mullen closed the program with a short sketch of Japan.

Mrs. R. T. Sheppard will return tonight from Gadsden, where she was called on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. J. A. Bacon. Mrs. Bacon is much improved.

Mrs. Dan Porter, of Scottsboro, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wade Nichols.

MUSIC MEMORY CONTEST CLOSURES IN ALBANY SCHOOLS

When the time set for the Music Memory contest came yesterday '09 pupils presented themselves at Gordon school. The pupils, eager for the contest to begin, awaited with breathless interest the playing of each successive record.

The result of the contest far exceeded the expectations of the committee in charge, 70 per cent of the pupils making a grade of more than 90 per cent.

Four high school students had prepared papers and 10 grammar school pupils.

The high school students decided to draw for their first prize and among the four girls, Catherine Chum, Earline Johnson, Myrtle Graves and Mildred Moebe, the lucky ticket was drawn by Catherine Chum.

The Gordon school pupils may decide to have another contest to decide their first prize winner.

Miss Alice Hatton deserves much credit for the fine work she has done with her music classes in Gordon school.

The high school has worked under many difficulties but the high school committee, Mrs. Chase and Miss Car-

SPEND-THE-DAY SOCIAL.

Mrs. H. P. Webb and Mrs. J. D. Sharp entertained jointly with a spend-the-day social at their home on Ferry street Tuesday. Sewing was indulged in when 19 pairs of curtains were made for the Baptist orphanage which has been recently moved from Evergreen to Troy, Ala. A lunch was served at noon by the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Williams, formerly residents of Decatur, who moved a few years ago to Montgomery, will return here about the first of June to make their home in Decatur.

The secretary reported that this society donated \$440 to missions last year.

Mrs. T. L. Baker, Jr., after an operation for appendicitis at the Benevolent hospital, is steadily improving and expects to return to her home the latter part of the week.

Mrs. L. B. Friend has returned from a visit to relatives in Athens.

Mrs. Yarbrough, who is ill at the Benevolent hospital, is reported doing nicely.

Mrs. L. Lesser left this morning for an extended visit to her daughter Mrs. Rosenweig, in Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Hadden, horticulturist of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, have taken an apartment at the Adams place on Grant street.

Mrs. Sue Robinson is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Bibb, in Birmingham, for a few days.

Mrs. Frank Borton continues ill at her home on Grant street.

Mrs. Mary Nelson has recovered from a slight illness.
MRS. R. H. WOLCOTT

Mrs. Bob Nelson and baby are suffering with gripe.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Nichols announce the birth of a son, Robert Wade, on March 19.

Mrs. Raymond Martin and little son, William Thomas, of Memphis, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Martin.

STATE OF ALABAMA MORGAN COUNTY.

Probate Court To Any and All Persons in Interest:

You are hereby notified that on the 18th day of March, 1922, a certain paper in writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Richard C. Troup, deceased, was filed in my office as Probate Judge of Morgan County, Alabama, and that the 25th day of April, 1922, was appointed a day for the hearing thereof, at which time you can appear and contest the same if you see proper.

Given under my hand this 20th day of March, 1922.
L. P. TROUP,
Judge of Probate.

center, feel amply repaid for their efforts.

The club women of the Twin Cities appreciate the interest the schools have shown in these contests.

CHILD DIES

Roberta Rogers, eight-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rogers, died yesterday afternoon at one o'clock at the residence of the parents, 824 Grant street. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at three o'clock at the Westminster Presbyterian church by Rev. L. F. Goodwin.

WEATHER

FOR ALABAMA: Fair and slightly warmer tonight. Thursday, increasing cloudiness and warmer.

HAVE YOU THESE SYMPTOMS?

If So, Commence Taking Gude's Pepto-Mangan and Get Back To Good Health

Lack of vitality, a feeling of tiredness, bad breath, pale lips, colorless cheeks, loss of weight, flabby flesh, loosened strength—all of these call for the immediate use of Gude's Pepto-Mangan. It will positively produce satisfactory results. Try taking it with your meals for a few weeks and be surprised with the improvement in your condition. Gude's Pepto-Mangan will help you back to strength during convalescence from any illness. It has been prescribed successfully by physicians everywhere for 30 years. It is a recognized iron tonic of honest merit. For sale in liquid and tablet form by all druggists. Ask for it by the full name, "Gude's Pepto-Mangan."—Advertisement.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our deep appreciation to our many friends for their kindness to us during the illness and death of our darling "Baby Sue" for the beautiful floral, for the use of cars, and especially for the many expressions of sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Chennault.

PRINCESS

—Today—

POLA NEGRI

In "GIPSY BLOOD"

And a Mack Sennett Comedy "MADE IN THE KITCHEN"

—THURSDAY—

BERT LYTELL

In "The Man Who"

The romance of a bare faced barefoot bid for fame, from the Saturday Evening Post story.

—FRIDAY—

Catherine Calvert

and an All Star Cast, in

"The Heart of

"Maryland"

From David Belasco's famous stage play.

—SATURDAY—

"The Great

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Maurice Tourneur's masterpiece of the screen with House Peters and Marjory Daw.



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coffee that packs coupons and lacks quality—just let him try a cup of

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NOTICE

Funeral Benefit Association claim No. 20, amount Thirteen Hundred and Fifty-Nine Dollars, \$1,359.00, paid to Hazel Lanckaster, on account of death of Mrs. John Lanckaster, assessment No. 21 is now due.

R. L. WOODS, President. T. H. GENTRY, Secretary.
GEO. C. HARTUNG, Treasurer.



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FOR SALE—Mr. J. L. Nelson's home on Gordon Drive, East of 8th avenue, at \$4,500. This is a new and can be made a beautiful home. Let's figure.
J. A. THORNHILL.

HARD TIMES—Come to my office if you want to see them. Rents, money, sales, contracts, deeds, mortgages looked after. I specialize in rental collections. Fire insurance? Yes, it too.
J. A. THORNHILL.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—The man who left his overcoat in Cook Brothers store may have same by calling at store and paying for this ad. 21-3t

WANTED

WANTED—To buy several floor show cases. Must be in good condition and priced right. Call Decatur 110. 22-3t

WANTED—To sell you a Mascot Range under an absolute guarantee. Carrell Bros., Bank street, Phone 157.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ford roadster, latest model, practically brand new and unused. A bargain for cash. Call Decatur 110. 22-3t

FOR SALE—Cash: 1 breakfast table, 4 breakfast chairs, 1 iron bed in oak, 1 set springs and mattress, 1 oak dresser, 1 library table, 1 large velvet rug. Can be seen at 1312 Grant St. 21-4t

FOR SALE—Brood mares and work mules; cash or credit, or would trade for Ford car in good condition. Address J. V. Murphy, Fairview. 15-1w

FOR SALE—Prize winning Rhode Island Red baby chicks. Delivery March 27. Price 25c each. Also eggs, \$2.00 per setting. A. H. Jankes, phone 150 Albany. 14-1w

FOR SALE—Eggs for setting, from the famous E. B. Thompson strain barred rock. Mrs. D. C. Almon, Phone Albany 177. f24-1m

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Five room bungalow, 6th Ave. West. Phone Albany 529. 21-3t

FOR RENT—Seven room house, centrally located in Decatur, convenient to churches, school and carline. Price reasonable. Phone Mrs. S. S. Broadus, Decatur 48. 21-3t

FOR RENT—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping on Johnston street, Albany. Apply by letter to P. O. Box 308. 20-1t

FOR RENT—Three connecting rooms over Preuit-Dillehay Drug Co. Apply at office upstairs. 19-1t

MISCELLANEOUS

TAXICAB SERVICE—Quick and reliable; day or night service; closed cabs. Call W. M. Fuller, Decatur 32; residence phone, Albany 396. 19-6t

FOR GOOD reliable taxicab service, day or night, call St. Joseph cafe, phone 86 Decatur. W. L. Price. 7-1w

SHOE REPAIRING—Reduced prices. Half soles and heels, best material, \$1.75; other work at proportionate prices. W. A. Gordon, opposite shop gate. f23-1m

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Probate Judge
The Daily is authorized to announce Charles M. Dinsmore as a candidate for Probate Judge of Morgan County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 8, 1922. (Paid political advertising authorized by Charles M. Dinsmore.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Probate Judge or Morgan County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election August 8, 1922. LOVICK P. TROUP.
(Paid political advertising authorized by Lovick P. Troup.)

Judge Eighth Judicial Circuit
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election as one of the judges of the Eighth Judicial Circuit, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922. ROBERT C. BRICKELL.
(Paid political advertising authorized by Robert C. Brickell.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate as one of the judges of the Eighth Judicial Circuit, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922. JAMES E. HORTON, Jr.
(Paid political advertising authorized by James E. Horton, Jr.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election as one of the judges of the Eighth Judicial Circuit, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922. OSCOLA KYLE.
(Paid political advertising authorized by Oscola Kyle.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate as one of the judges of the Eighth Judicial Circuit, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922. JAMES H. BALLENTINE.
(Paid political advertising authorized by James H. Ballentine.)

For Circuit Clerk
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit Clerk, subject to the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922. JAMES L. DRAPER.
(Paid political advertising authorized by James L. Draper.)

We are authorized to announce W. R. McCuskey as a candidate for Circuit Clerk of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the Democratic primary on August 8, 1922. (Paid political advertising authorized by W. R. McCuskey.)

Solicitor Morgan County Court
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Solicitor of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the Democratic primary on August 8, 1922. C. L. PRICE.
(Paid political advertising authorized by C. L. Price.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Solicitor of the Morgan County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922. T. C. (CHIT) ALMON.
(Paid political advertising authorized by T. C. Almon.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Solicitor of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the Democratic primary on August 8, 1922. W. H. LONG.
(Paid political advertising authorized by W. H. Long.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Solicitor of the Morgan County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922. J. N. POWELL.
(Paid political advertising authorized by J. N. Powell.)

For Sheriff
We are authorized to announce C. E. Poole as a candidate for Sheriff of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the Democratic primary on August 8, 1922. (Paid political advertising authorized by C. E. Poole.)

We are authorized to announce Milton C. Vest as a candidate for Sheriff of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the Democratic primary on August 8, 1922. (Paid political advertising authorized by Milton C. Vest.)

Board of Revenue (1st District)
We are authorized to announce W. B. McCulloch as a candidate for member of Board of Revenue of Morgan County, Ala., 1st District, subject to action of Democratic primary on August 8, 1922. W. B. McCULLOCH.
(Paid Political Advertising authorized by W. B. McCulloch.)

Board of Revenue (1st District)
We are authorized to announce Jack A. Robinson as a candidate for the Board of Revenue of the 1st District of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the Democratic primary on August 8, 1922. JACK A. ROBINSON.
(Paid political advertising authorized by Jack A. Robinson.)

For Congress
The Daily is authorized to announce the candidacy of Mrs. W. B. (Lelia Seton) Edmundson for Congress from the Eighth Congressional District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 8, 1922. (Paid political advertising authorized by Mrs. W. B. Edmundson.)

Representative
The Daily is authorized to announce the candidacy of Dr. T. B. Brindley as a candidate for representative of Morgan county in the legislature of Alabama, subject to the action of the Democratic primary on August 8, 1922. (Paid political advertising authorized by Dr. T. B. Brindley.)

HARTSELLE BUREAU OF ALBANY-DECATUR DAILY

J. ADLAI WEST, Correspondent.

Leave items of general interest, including social, personals, current happenings, at Peoples Drug Company.

The Hartselle chamber of commerce will send representatives to Muscle Shoals on March 25, the occasion of the visit of the committee from Washington. The citizens here are to a man for the Ford plan in the development of this great water project, and all have been very active in doing what they could in helping to create interest and enthusiasm.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kimbrough entertained Tuesday evening with a tacky party complementing their house guest, Miss Pattie Pardoe, of Frank-

Everybody likes the sweet flavor of sugar cane.
Domino Syrup
is a delicious cane sugar product popular as a table spread and for cooking



HALF A CENTURY

Oklahoma Praises Black-Draught, Having Used It "Can Safely Say for 50 Years."

Grandfield, Okla.—One of the best known farmers of Tillman County, Mr. G. W. Tisdale, who owns and manages a wagon yard here, says: "I have used Theodor's Black-Draught—I believe I can safely say for fifty years. "I was born and reared in Texas, Freestone County, sixty-four years ago. I have been married forty-four years. My father used Black-Draught before I was married, and gave it to us. "For forty-four years of my married life, it has had a place on our medicine shelf, and is the only laxative, or liver medicine, we use. We use it for torpid liver, sour stomach, headache, indigestion... I don't think we could get along without it, knowing what it has done for us, and the money it has saved. It is just as good and reliable today as it was when we began its use. My boys use it and they are satisfied it's the best liver medicine they have ever used." Theodor's Black-Draught is purely vegetable, not disagreeable to take and acts in a prompt and natural way. So many thousands of persons have been benefited by the use of Theodor's Black-Draught, you should have no hesitancy in trying this valuable and well-established remedy, for most liver and stomach disorders. NC-129b.

SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of one Fieri Facias issued out of the Clerk's office of the Circuit court of Morgan County, and State of Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I am commanded to make the amount of a certain judgment recently obtained against W. C. Bynum out of the goods, chattels, lands and tenements of the said W. C. Bynum, I have levied on the following property, to-wit: S. W. 1-4 of S. W. 1-4 Sec. 32, Tn. 5, R. 5, N. W. 1-4 of S. W. 1-4 Sec. 5, Tn. 6, R. 5, 24 acres W. of Decatur and Moulton Pike in N. E. 1-4 of S. W. 1-4 Sec. 5, Tn. 6, R. 5, all of N. E. 1-4 of N. E. 1-4 Sec. 5, Tn. 6, R. 5, except one acre in N. W. corner, containing in all 144 acres.

Therefore, according to said command, I shall expose for sale, at public auction, all the right, title and interest of the above-named W. C. Bynum in and to the above described property, on the 5th day of April, 1922, during the legal hours of sale, at the Court House door in Morgan County, Ala.
Dated at Decatur, Ala., this 6th day of March, 1922. J. V. MAY, Sheriff, Morgan County, Ala.

lin, Pa. The event was participated in by the young society set of the town and a great time was had until a late hour. Games and refreshments were enjoyed.

Work is now being actively pushed on the reconstruction of the East pike by Messrs. Burleson and Jackson. They have a large force of men at work on the far end of the work, the rock being spread toward town. As fast as the rock is being put down a heavy roller is put over it and the road is ready for travel at once.

Great quantities of seed Irish potatoes for planting are being sold at this point by the merchants, and from all indications there will be a large acreage planted to this most important food and market crop. The past two seasons have been disastrous for the Irish potato in this section on account of a drought just at the time the vine was fruiting. The fall crop of them, however, has been good, enough moisture being present all that time to insure a good crop.

Plowing on the uplands has begun again in this section, and with pretty weather the balance of the week will see a general resumption of farm work. While the spring work on the farm is backward for this stage of the season, it can be overcome if an opportunity is given in which the work can go steadily on for the next 10 days.

Several dwelling houses are receiving a coat of paint in town, and it carries the impression that there is to be a campaign of beautifying the residences over the town. There is a plan being worked out to have a campaign this spring for the city beautification. It is the plan of those with the matter in hand to accomplish this with flowers. There are many pretty flower gardens already here, and others will be plotted and worked at vantage points to make the idea effective.

Another wrestling match will be pulled off at the armory Friday. It is the intention to also put on some boxing matches at this time. Some of the armory boys are quite adept at using the mits and an interesting time is promised.

Chester I. Lee is away on a visit to several northern cities. He will be absent several days.

The interest in the asphalt development goes on unabated in this section, and further explorations are daily being made with the ultimate view of making development. Several excavations are being made at points where the asphalt rock abounds in seemingly unlimited quantities. It is quite safe to say that development of this nature treasure will be made on a paying basis at no distant day.

George J. Friedkin will move his family to Albany as soon as school is out here. Mr. Friedkin is in business at Albany.

Several citizens of Hartselle are in daily attendance upon the sessions of the Morgan county court which is in session at Decatur.

The Hartselle Booster club is quite active here boosting business. They plan this week a vigorous advertising campaign in the local paper, and every firm in the town will bid for business from the surrounding country, giving premiums as an incentive for the trade to buy at this time. The town is placarded with signs carrying the idea to all who chance this way. The campaign will continue each week until late in the summer. It will end with a grand prize near the opening of the fall season.

Many of the school children are nursing sore arms occasioned by vaccinations. It was thought a case of small pox had developed in the city school. It turned out to be a case of chicken pox instead.

The statements of the Hartselle banks published on call of the comptroller reveal the fact that all of them are in a healthy state of financial growth. The town is justly proud of the banking facilities offered by the location of three well conducted banking institutions here, that are amply able to take care of any financial situation which might arise.

CONVICT CAUGHT
MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 22—(Special)—C. D. Bohannon, Jefferson county convict who escaped with Ben Starr from Kilby prison March 3, was recaptured by a Texas Ranger at Brownsville, Texas, while attempting to make his way into Mexico, according to information received by the state convict department today.

Tennessee Valley Bankers Favor Cotton Marketing Plan of Bureau

FLORENCE, Ala., March 22—(Special).—The bankers of the Tennessee Valley are heartily in favor of the Alabama Farm Bureau cotton marketing plan, recently launched in Alabama by the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation, and are anxious to push it to a successful conclusion, according to letters received from two of the largest bankers in this section of Alabama, by Edward A. O'Neal, president of the Lauderdale County Farm Bureau.

The first letter received by Mr. O'Neal was from Clyde Hendrix, president of the Tennessee Valley Bank, a system having branch banks in eighteen towns throughout the Tennessee Valley. In his letter, Mr. Hendrix states that the experience of farmers in California, Texas, Oklahoma, Mississippi and other states proves conclusively that co-operative marketing is the solution to the great marketing problems now concerning the farmers of the south, and that since the plan proposed by the Alabama Farm Bureau is identical to that in operation in these states, it is his opinion that it should be put into operation immediately in Alabama. Mr. Hendrix further pledges whatever assistance he, or his interests which he represents, can render to the cause, not only in the Tennessee Valley but anywhere in Alabama.

ABERCROMBIE ASKS FOR ANOTHER TERM

(Montgomery Bureau, Albany-Decatur Daily)
MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 22—Dr. John W. Abercrombie, who is completing the unexpired term of Spright Dowell as state superintendent of education, Tuesday afternoon made formal announcement of his candidacy for a full term. Dr. Abercrombie has no opposition and probably will receive the Democratic nomination without opposition.

Dr. Abercrombie has received the endorsement of numerous persons interested in educational work. He surrendered a position at Washington to return to the capitol as superintendent of education when Mr. Dowell was made president of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute. He has been a prominent figure in educational work for many years, having served as state superintendent of education when the department was located in a small office on the second floor of the capitol. He gave up this position to become president of the University of Alabama.

On his retirement from the presidency of the university Dr. Abercrombie was elected congressman-at-large for Alabama. He held this office until the legislature of 1915 reapportioned the congressional districts and provided for ten instead of nine.

Ernest Lacy, of Jasper, became a candidate for judge of the fourteenth judicial circuit.

T. H. G. Cook, of Carrollton, qualified as a candidate for delegate to the state Democratic convention from Pickens county.

Taste is a matter of tobacco quality

We state it as our honest belief that the tobaccos used in Chesterfield are of finer quality (and hence of better taste) than in any other cigarette at the price.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

20 for 18c
10 for 9c
Vacuum tins of 50 - 45c

In his letter, Mr. Elting refers to the Farm Bureau cotton pool plan, as "a gigantic movement involving the garnering of all economic forces with a view to serving the interests of farmers," and expressed his allegiance to the success of the cause in Alabama.

Mr. O'Neal states that the Tennessee Valley chain of banks and the First National Bank of Florence, represent banking resources to the extent of more than \$5,000,000.00, and that, in his opinion, every banker in the Tennessee Valley will gladly support this movement, which is being promoted by the farmers of the state, through their organization, the Farm Bureau, for improved markets for farm products.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our many friends for their kindness and sympathy shown during the illness and death of our infant son, C. T. Also for the beautiful florals and service of cars, we also thank Rev. J. W. Carl.
MR. AND MRS. W. E. HARTSELL.

"Only One Thing Breaks My Cold"

THE relief that Dr. King's New Discovery gives from stubborn old colds, and crushing new ones, gripe and throat-torturing coughs has made it the standard remedy it is today. Time-tried for fifty years and never more popular than today. No harmful drugs.

You will soon notice the relief in loosened phlegm and eased cough.

Always reliable, and good for the whole family. Has a convincing, healing taste with all its good medicinal qualities. At all druggists, 60 cents.

Dr. King's New Discovery For Colds and Coughs

The Results of Constipation are sick headaches, biliousness, callosities, waste matter in the intestinal system. Correct this health-undermining condition by taking Dr. King's Pills. 25 cents. All druggists.

Dr. King's Pills

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Swallow slowly small pieces—rub well over the throat.

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Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

Announcement

I have just returned from the eastern leather market and I have bought a big lot of leather at the right price and therefore I can afford to give you the following price reductions for repair work:

Men's half soles reduced from \$1.00 and \$1.25 to .85 cents to \$1.00

Women's half soles, reduced from 85 cents and \$1.00 to 60 cents and 75 cents

Rubber heels, reduced from 65 and 75 cents to 50 cents and 75 cents

Closing out all panther rubber heels, standard grade, very special at 40 cents

Reductions for work on children's shoes is in proportion.

I have moved my shoe repair department to my shoe store, next door to Mclellans', Second avenue.

M. FREEMAN

Does Your Housework Tire You?

If your housework tires you unduly, if you suffer from headache, indigestion, biliousness or "blues," it means that your liver is out of order, your stomach is upset or your bowels are not working properly.

CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS

will provide the gentle stimulant that will set nature properly at work again. They will quicken your sluggish liver, tone up your stomach and gently cleanse your bowels.

You always should keep a bottle of CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS in the house and ready for the first sign of headache or indigestion.

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